



UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
 United States Patent and Trademark Office
 Address: COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450
 www.uspto.gov



Bib Data Sheet

CONFIRMATION NO. 9683

SERIAL NUMBER 09/970,389	FILING DATE 10/02/2001 RULE	CLASS 162	GROUP ART UNIT 1731	ATTORNEY DOCKET NO. HARD1.015A
-----------------------------	---------------------------------------	--------------	------------------------	--------------------------------------

APPLICANTS

Donald J. Merkley, Alta Loma, CA;

Caidian Luo, Alta Loma, CA;

** CONTINUING DATA *****

This appln claims benefit of 60/241,102 10/17/2000

MH

** FOREIGN APPLICATIONS *****

IF REQUIRED, FOREIGN FILING LICENSE GRANTED

** 11/08/2001

Foreign Priority claimed <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> no	STATE OR	SHEETS	TOTAL	INDEPENDENT
35 USC 119 (a-d) conditions met <input type="checkbox"/> yes <input type="checkbox"/> no <input type="checkbox"/> Met after Allowance	COUNTRY	DRAWING	CLAIMS	CLAIMS
Verified and Acknowledged Examiner's Signature Initials	CA	3	67	6

ADDRESS

20995
 KNOBBE MARTENS OLSON & BEAR LLP
 2040 MAIN STREET
 FOURTEENTH FLOOR
 IRVINE, CA
 92614

TITLE

Method and apparatus for reducing impurities in cellulose fibers for manufacture of fiber reinforced cement composite materials

FILING FEE	FEES: Authority has been given in Paper No. _____ to charge/credit DEPOSIT ACCOUNT	<input type="checkbox"/> All Fees <input type="checkbox"/> 1.16 Fees (Filing) <input type="checkbox"/> 1.17 Fees (Processing Ext. of time)
------------	--	--